



Job Title: Mental Health Counselor – Clinical Social Worker **Job Group:** X

Location: Child Advocacy Center- Buffalo, NY

Reports to: Program Director/Vice President of Children’s Clinical Services

SUMMARY:

Provides assessment, treatment planning, crisis and on-going therapeutic treatment interventions for the clients who have experienced trauma. Clients served are child abuse survivors and their non-offending caregivers. Candidate should have knowledge of trauma evidence-based treatment, such as Trauma-Focused Cognitive Behavior Therapy. This position is grant funded.

RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Completes comprehensive psycho-social assessments and administer assessment tools.
- Provides initial and ongoing assessments of clients, including client history, evaluation of problems, and formulation of diagnosis.
- Develops initial and on-going treatment plans which describe the goals of treatment and the methods to be used.
- Conducts risk assessment and formulates Safety Plans
- Provides appropriate treatment response to clients and their families, including implementation of evidence-based treatment models.
- Provides individual, family and group counseling and psychotherapy to assist clients in achieving the goals of treatment.
- Provides appropriate case management, including work with ECDSS, schools, probation, PCP and other agencies
- Provides crisis assessments by referral of members of the CAC Multi-Disciplinary Team.
- Assists clients with linkages to appropriate community resources to enhance treatment and recovery.
- Communicates with others in client services system to coordinate care. Such contacts may include, but not be limited to, primary care physicians, members of the multi-disciplinary team, insurance companies and service providers involved in the care of clients.
- Completes grant obligations required by the New York State Office of Victim Services

QUALIFICATIONS:

Master’s degree in an OMH approved discipline with Qualified Health Profession status (LMSW, LCSW, LCSW-R, LMHC). Experience preferred, but not required.

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